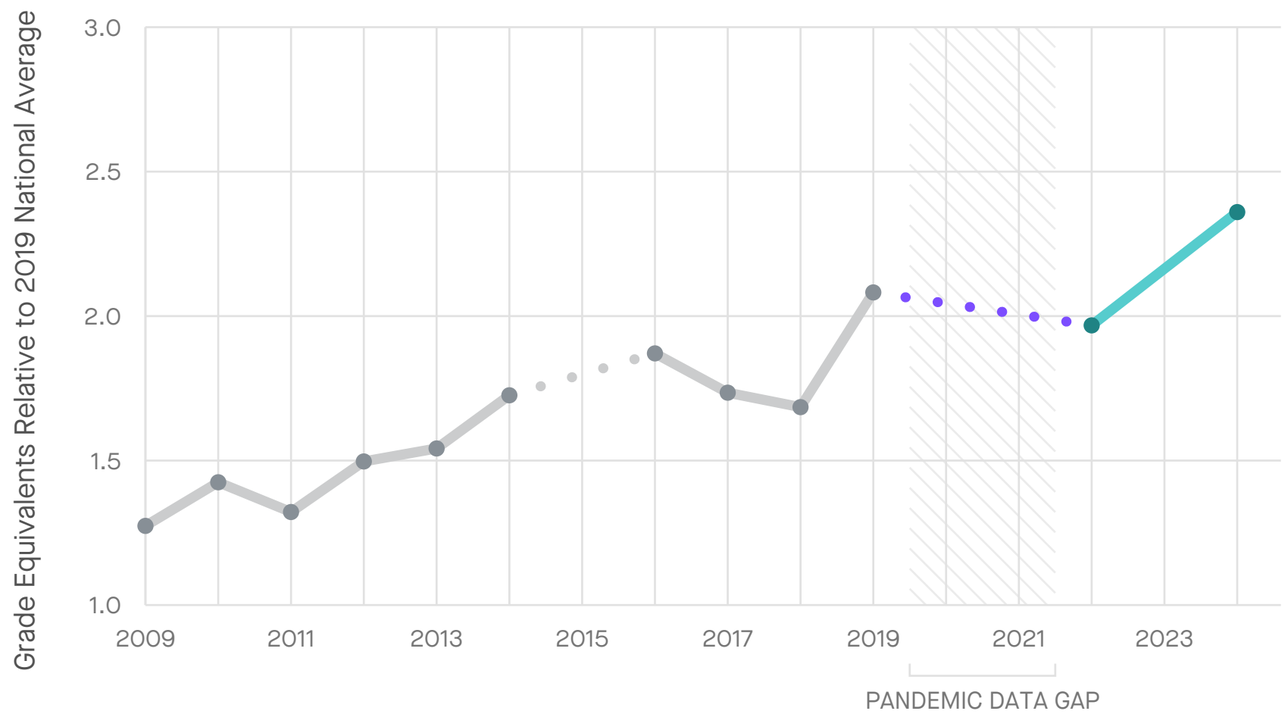
Rutherford School District, NJ

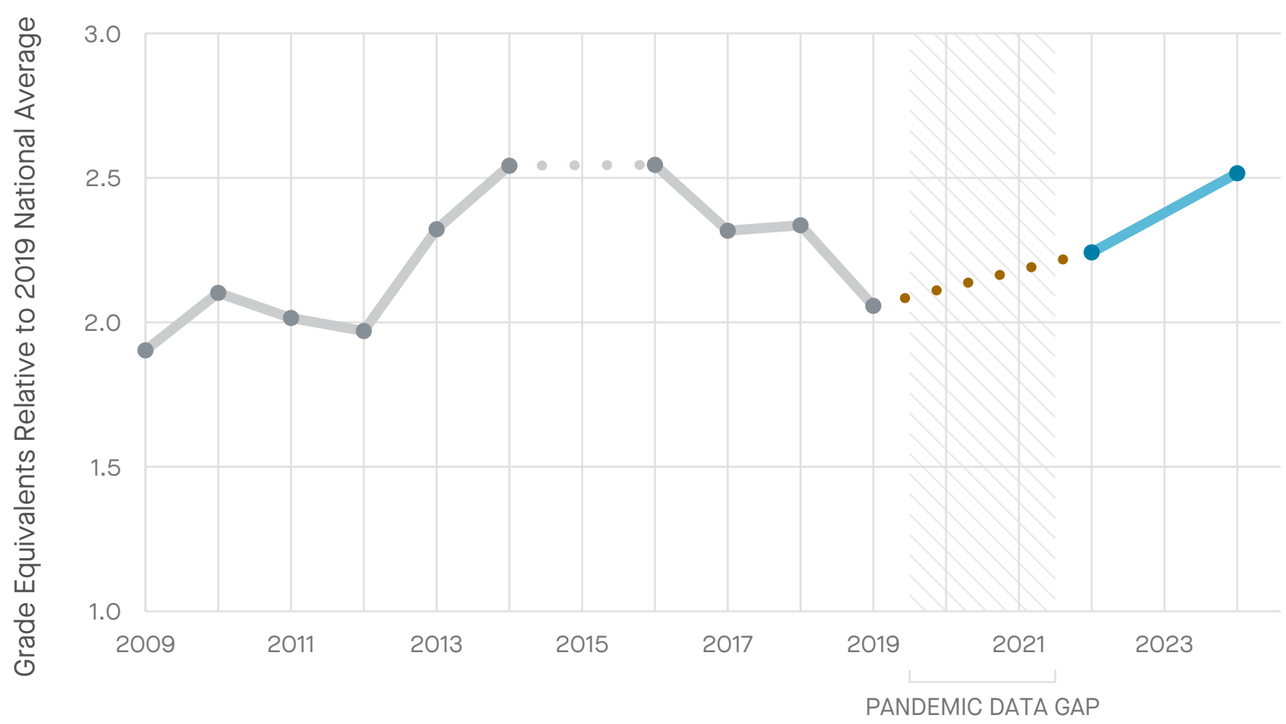
Math Performance, Grades 3-8, 2009-2024



Average Math Scores and Trends in Scores
in Grade Level Equivalents Relative to the 2019 National Average

2019 Average	2.08
2022 Average	1.97
2024 Average	2.36
2019-2022 Change	-0.11
2022-2024 Change	+0.39
Since 2019	+0.28

Reading Performance, Grades 3-8, 2009-2024



Average Reading Scores and Trends in Scores
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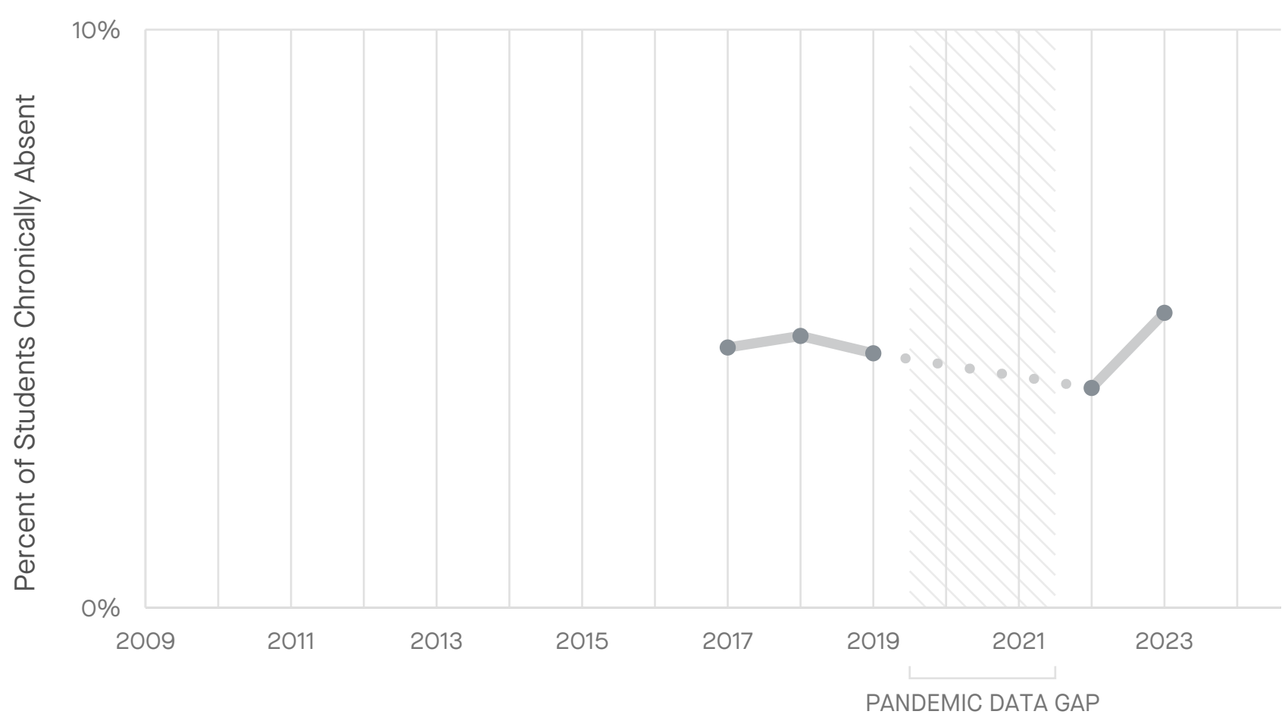
2019 Average	2.06
2022 Average	2.24
2024 Average	2.52
2019-2022 Change	+0.18
2022-2024 Change	+0.28
Since 2019	+0.46

Absenteeism, Grades 3-8, 2009-2024



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2019-2023 Change	+0.01
Since 2009	N/A

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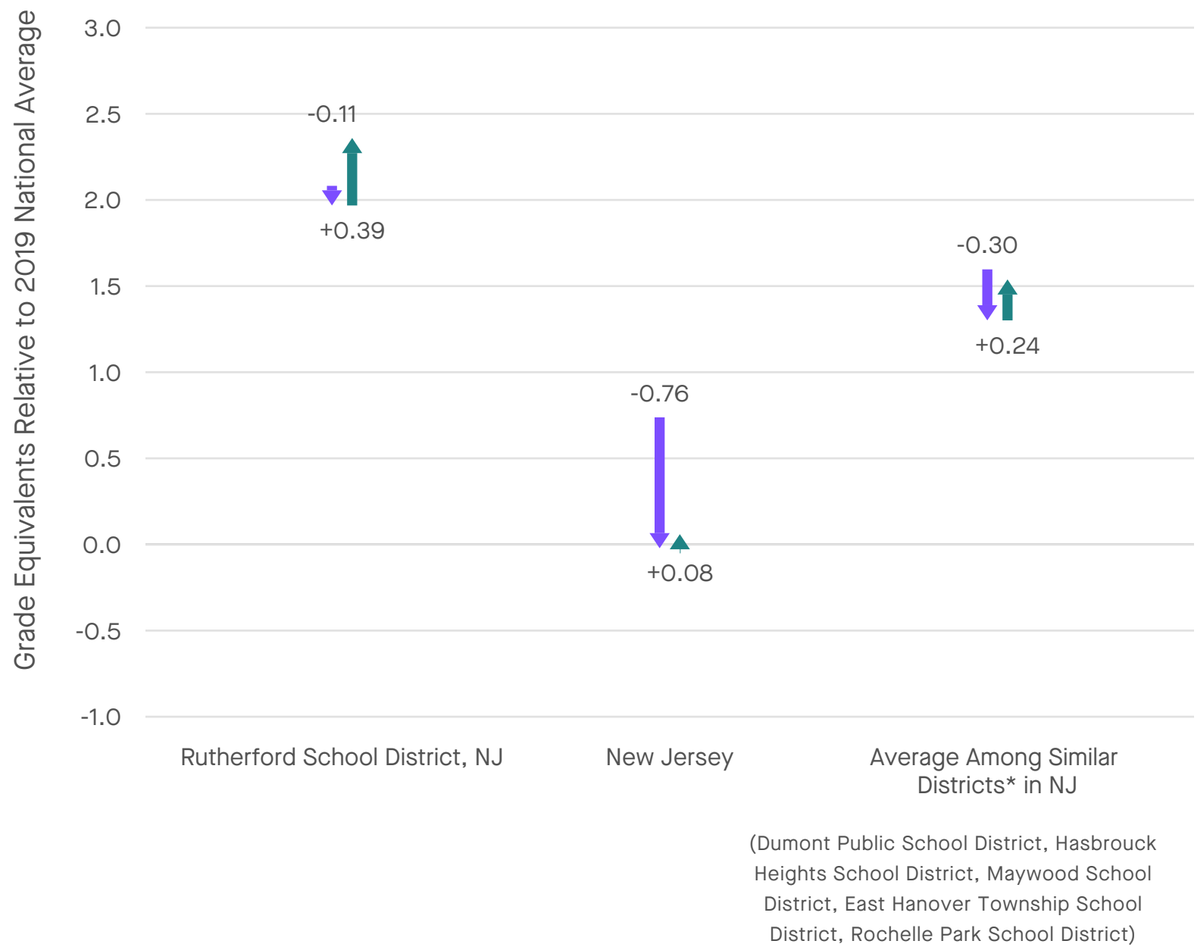
Math Performance in Rutherford School District vs. New Jersey and Similar Districts, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024



Average Math Scores and Trends in Scores

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	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
Rutherford School District, NJ	2.08	1.97	2.36	↓ -0.11	↑ 0.39	↑ 0.28
New Jersey	0.74	-0.02	0.06	↓ -0.76	↑ 0.08	↓ -0.68
Similar Districts* in New Jersey	1.60	1.30	1.54	↓ -0.30	↑ 0.24	↓ -0.06

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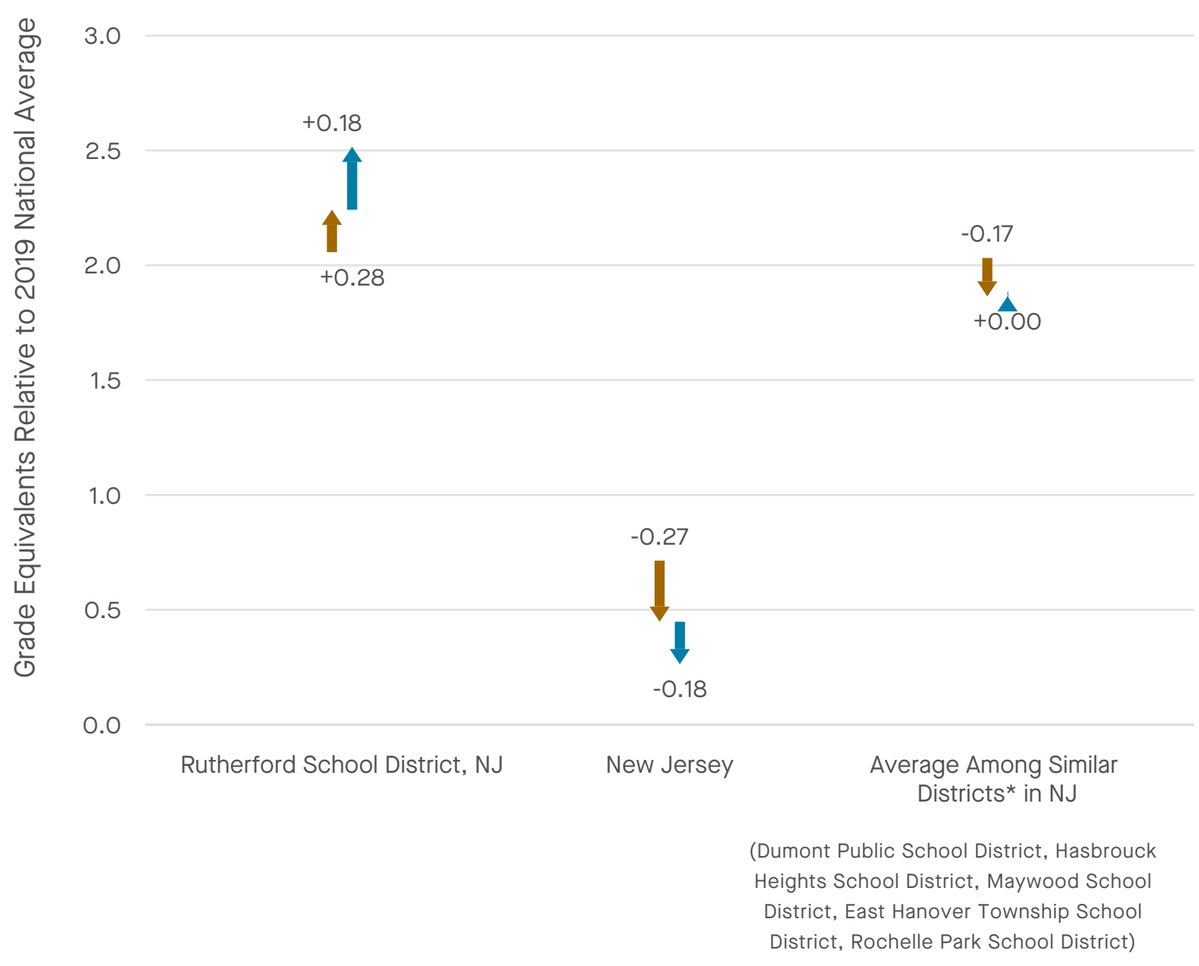

Average Reading Scores and Trends in Scores

in Grade Level Equivalents Relative to the 2019 National Average

	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
Rutherford School District, NJ	2.06	2.24	2.52	↑ 0.18	↑ 0.28	↑ 0.46
New Jersey	0.71	0.45	0.26	↓ -0.27	↓ -0.18	↓ -0.45
Similar Districts* in New Jersey	2.03	1.86	1.87	↓ -0.17	↑ 0.00	↓ -0.17

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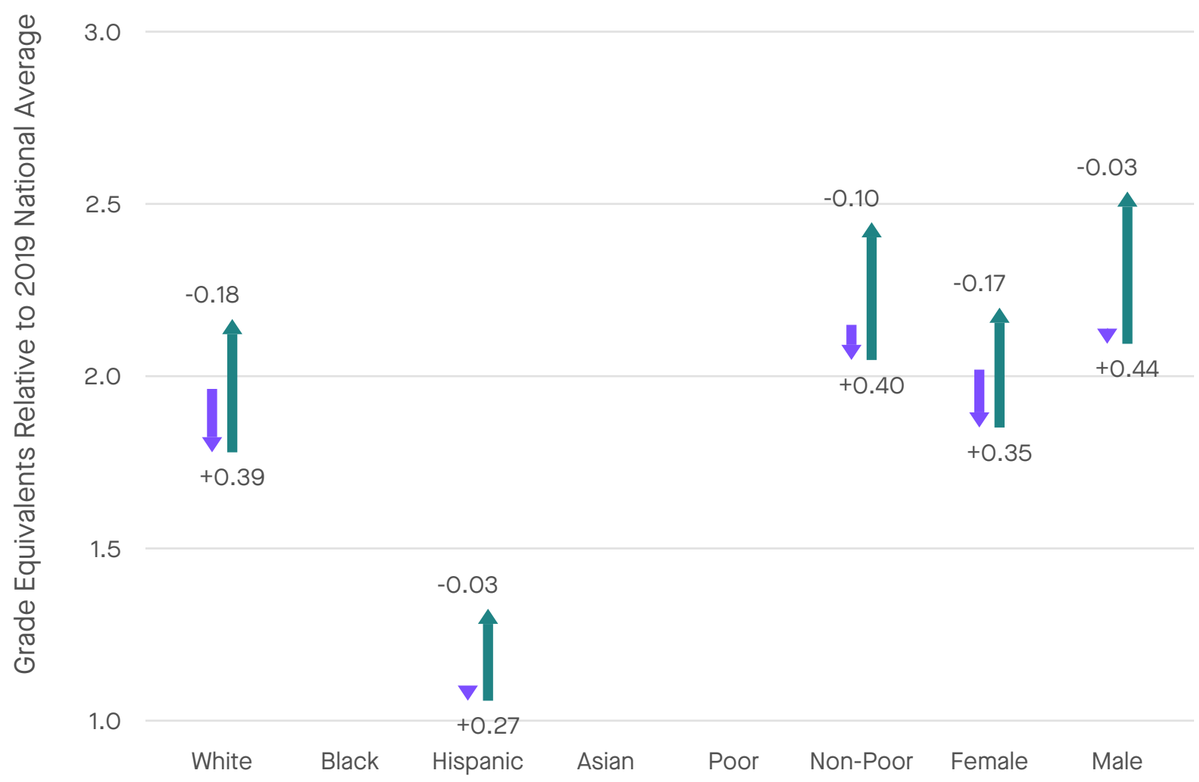
Rutherford School District, NJ

Math Performance by Subgroup, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024



Average Math Scores and Trends in Scores

in Grade Level Equivalents Relative to the 2019 National Average

	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	1.96	1.78	2.17	↓ -0.18	↑ 0.39	↑ 0.20
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	1.09	1.06	1.32	↓ -0.03	↑ 0.27	↑ 0.24
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Poor	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Non-Poor	2.15	2.05	2.45	↓ -0.10	↑ 0.40	↑ 0.30
Female	2.02	1.85	2.20	↓ -0.17	↑ 0.35	↑ 0.18
Male	2.13	2.09	2.54	↓ -0.03	↑ 0.44	↑ 0.41

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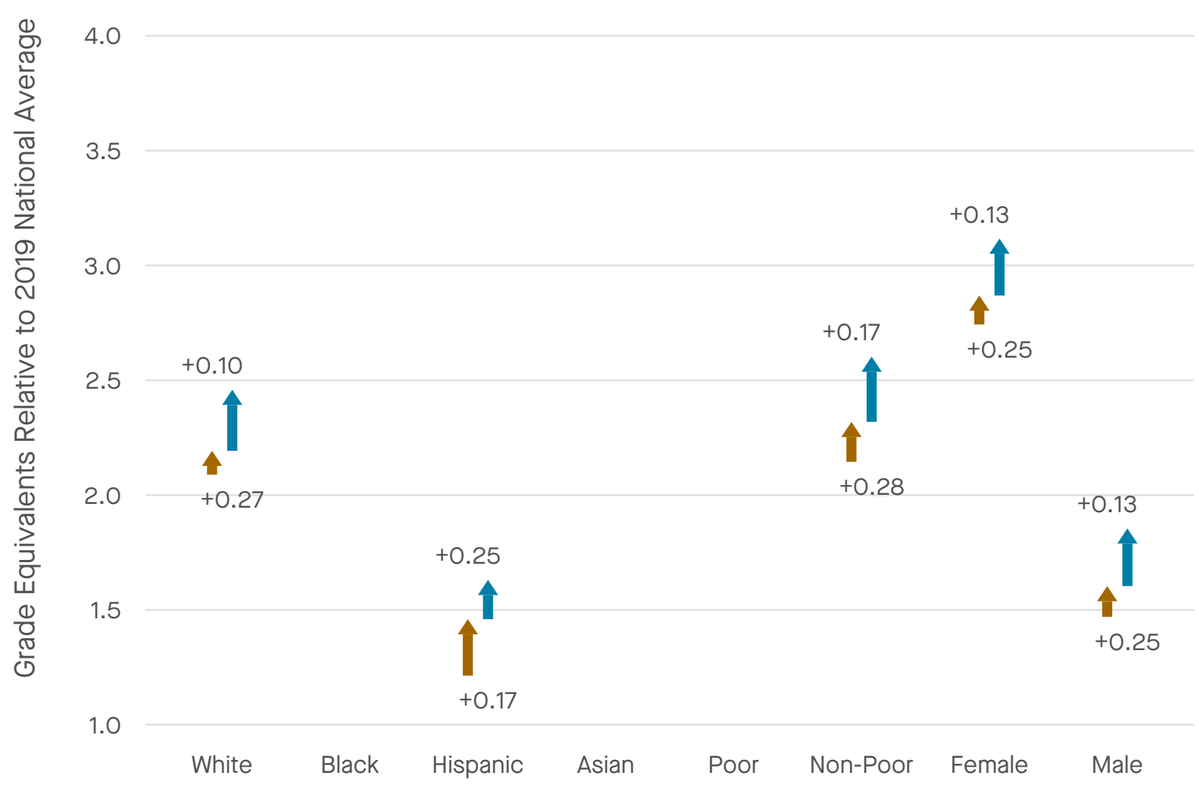

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	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	2.09	2.19	2.46	↑ 0.10	↑ 0.27	↑ 0.37
Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	1.21	1.46	1.63	↑ 0.25	↑ 0.17	↑ 0.42
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Poor	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Non-Poor	2.15	2.32	2.60	↑ 0.17	↑ 0.28	↑ 0.46
Female	2.74	2.87	3.12	↑ 0.13	↑ 0.25	↑ 0.38
Male	1.47	1.60	1.85	↑ 0.13	↑ 0.25	↑ 0.39

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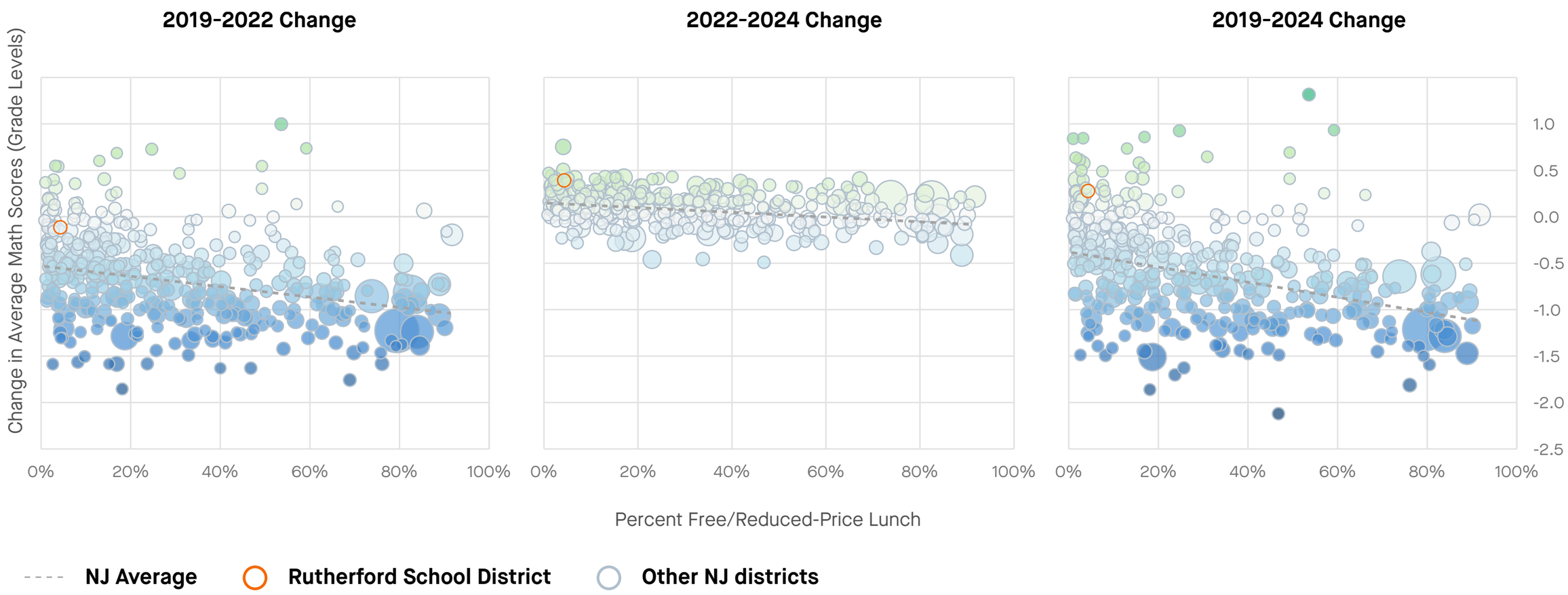
Change in Math Performance in New Jersey Districts vs. Percent Free/Reduced-Price Lunch, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024



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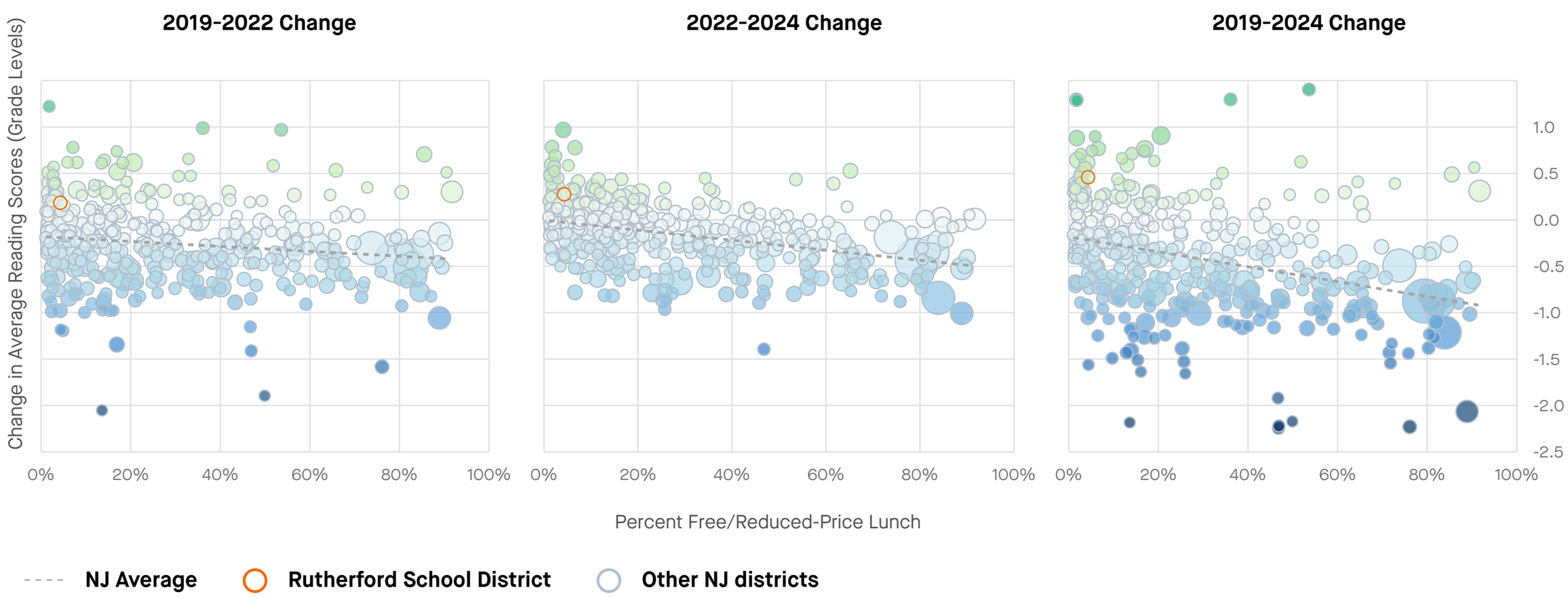

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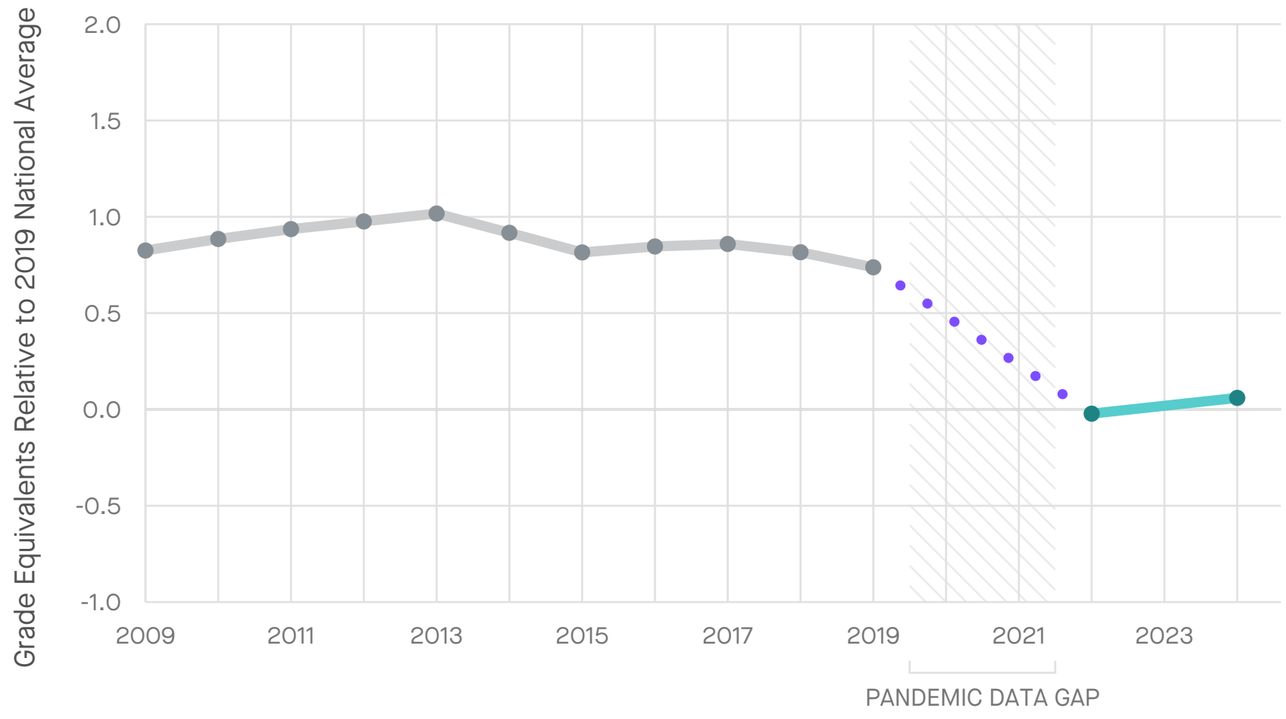
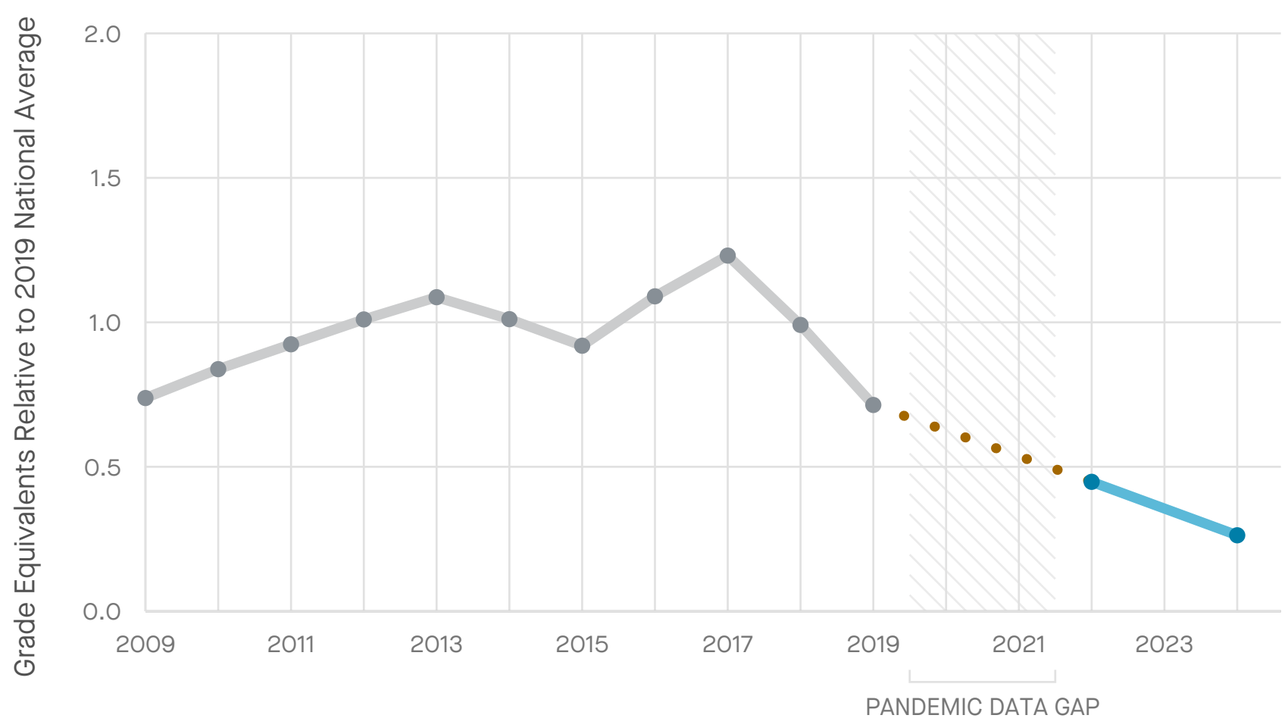


Average Math Scores and Trends in Scores
in Grade Level Equivalents Relative to the 2019 National Average

2019 Average	0.74
2022 Average	-0.02
2024 Average	0.06
2019-2022 Change	-0.76
2022-2024 Change	+0.08
Since 2019	-0.68

Reading Performance, Grades 3-8, 2009-2024



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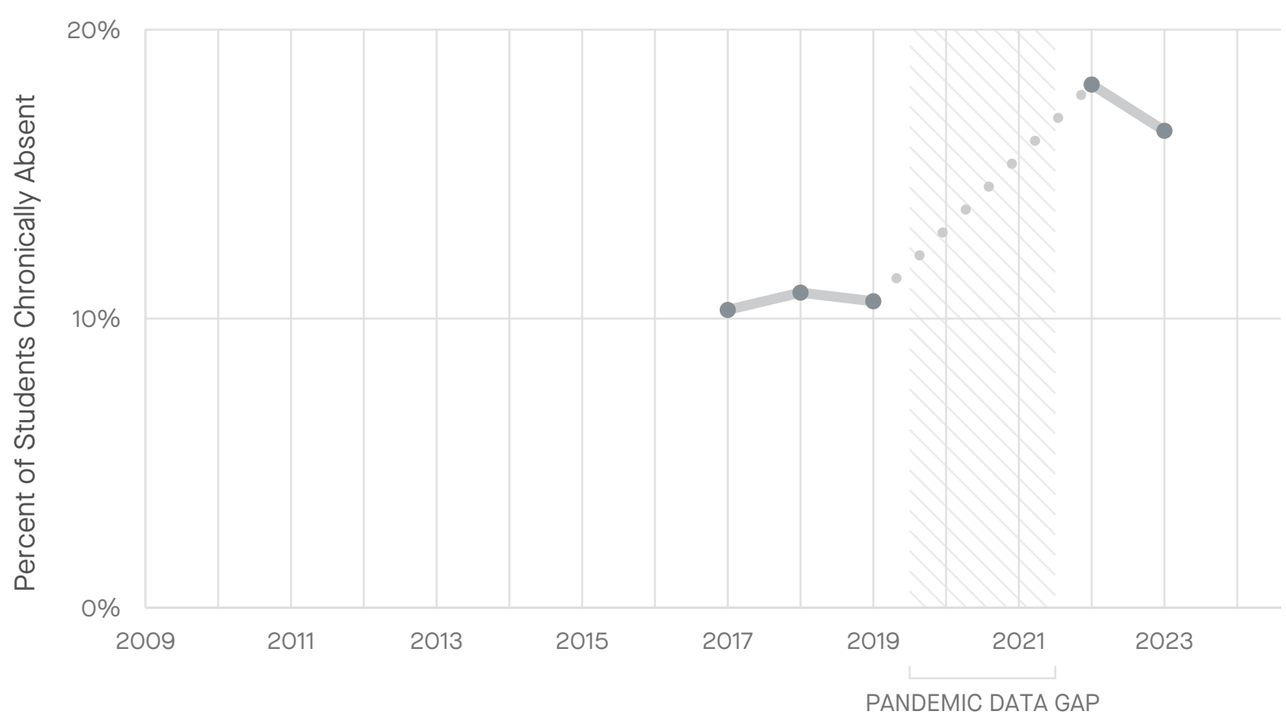
2019 Average	0.71
2022 Average	0.45
2024 Average	0.26
2019-2022 Change	-0.27
2022-2024 Change	-0.18
Since 2019	-0.45

Absenteeism, Grades 3-8, 2009-2024



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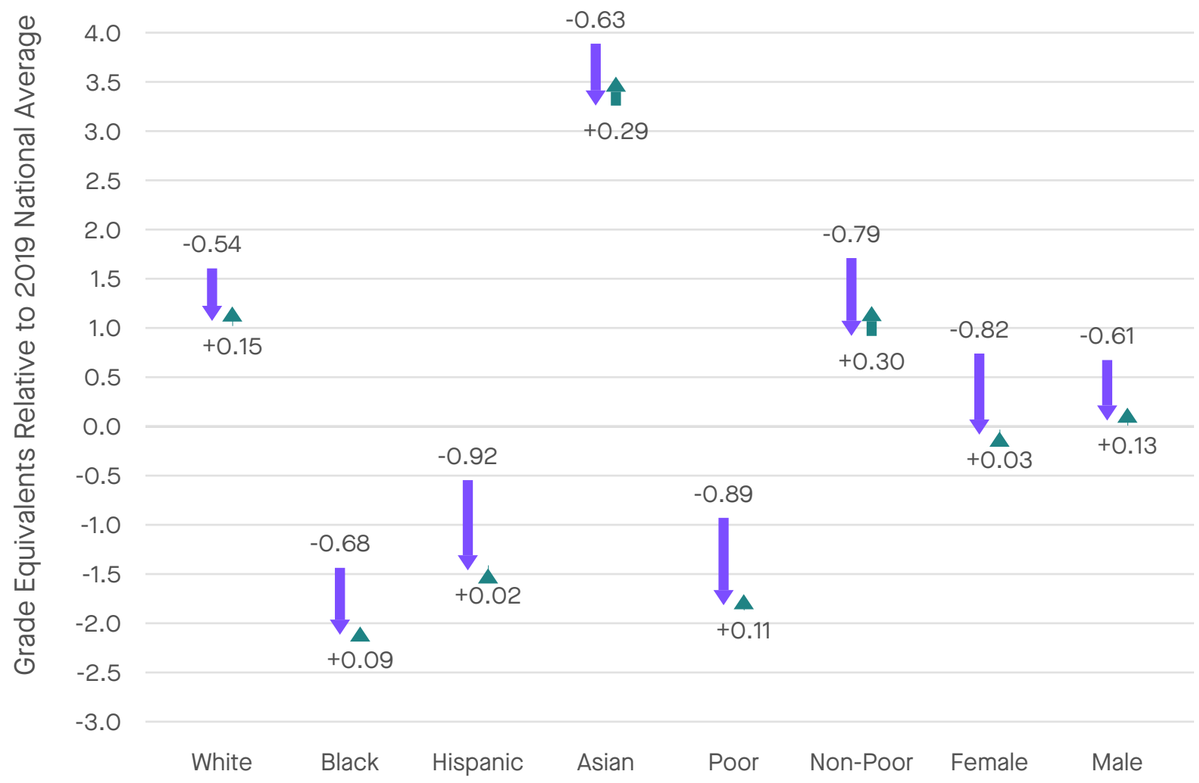

Average Math Scores and Trends in Scores

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	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	1.60	1.07	1.22	↓ -0.54	↑ 0.15	↓ -0.39
Black	-1.44	-2.12	-2.03	↓ -0.68	↑ 0.09	↓ -0.60
Hispanic	-0.55	-1.46	-1.44	↓ -0.92	↑ 0.02	↓ -0.90
Asian	3.89	3.26	3.55	↓ -0.63	↑ 0.29	↓ -0.33
Poor	-0.93	-1.82	-1.70	↓ -0.89	↑ 0.11	↓ -0.78
Non-Poor	1.71	0.92	1.22	↓ -0.79	↑ 0.30	↓ -0.49
Female	0.74	-0.08	-0.05	↓ -0.82	↑ 0.03	↓ -0.79
Male	0.67	0.06	0.19	↓ -0.61	↑ 0.13	↓ -0.48

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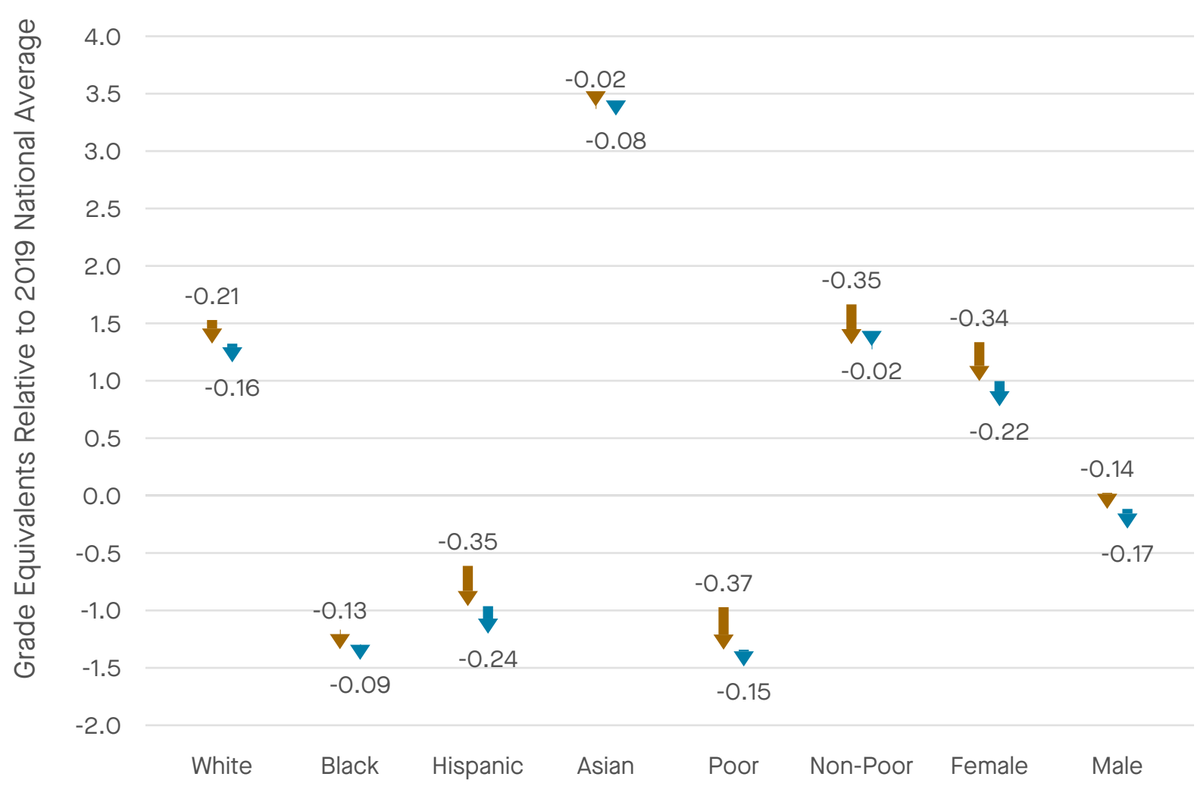

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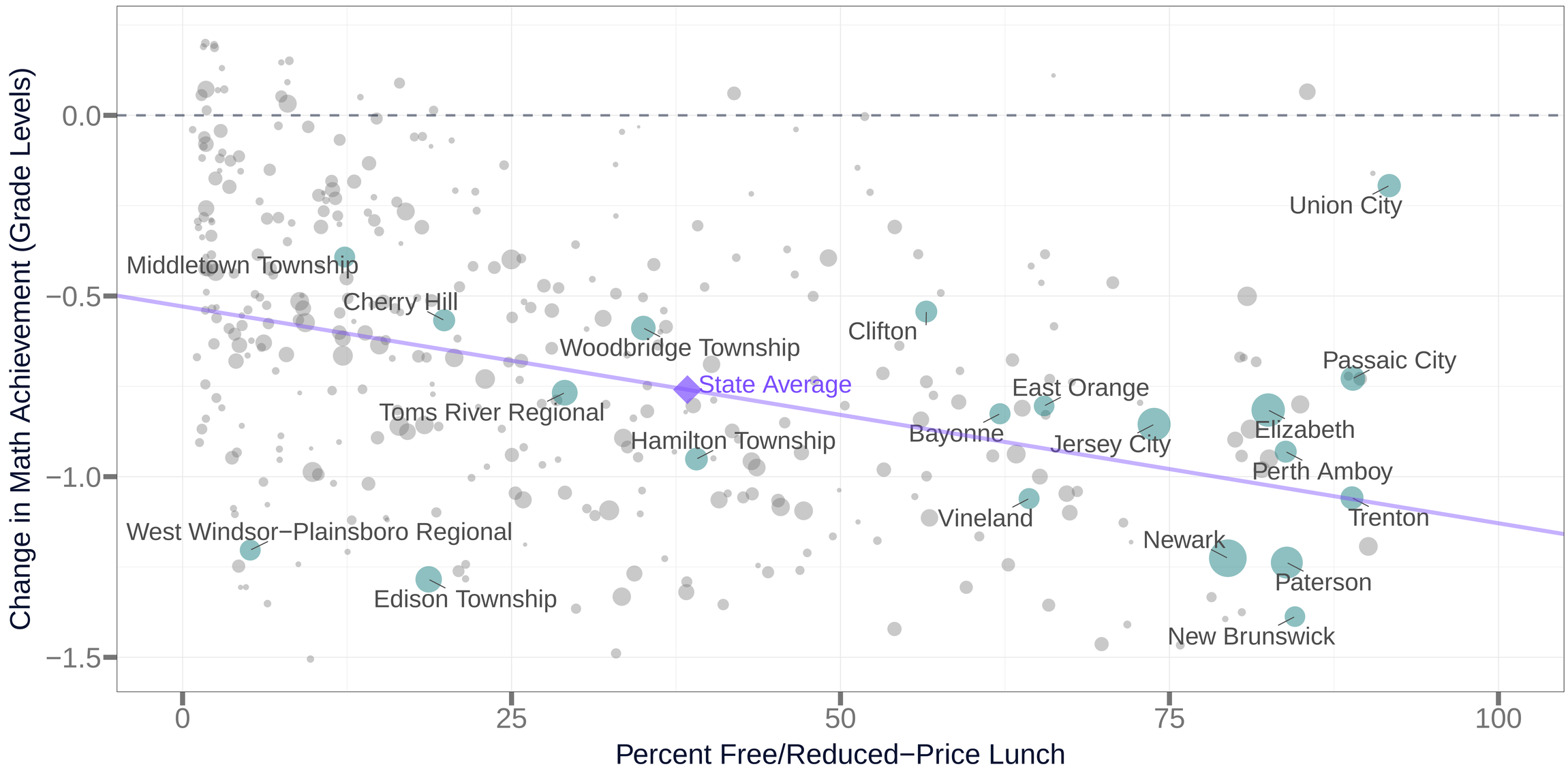
	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	1.53	1.32	1.16	↓ -0.21	↓ -0.16	↓ -0.37
Black	-1.21	-1.34	-1.43	↓ -0.13	↓ -0.09	↓ -0.22
Hispanic	-0.61	-0.96	-1.20	↓ -0.35	↓ -0.24	↓ -0.59
Asian	3.41	3.39	3.31	↓ -0.02	↓ -0.08	↓ -0.10
Poor	-0.97	-1.34	-1.49	↓ -0.37	↓ -0.15	↓ -0.52
Non-Poor	1.67	1.32	1.30	↓ -0.35	↓ -0.02	↓ -0.36
Female	1.34	1.00	0.78	↓ -0.34	↓ -0.22	↓ -0.56
Male	0.02	-0.12	-0.29	↓ -0.14	↓ -0.17	↓ -0.31

Change in Math Achievement 2019−2022
by Percent FRPL in New Jersey Districts



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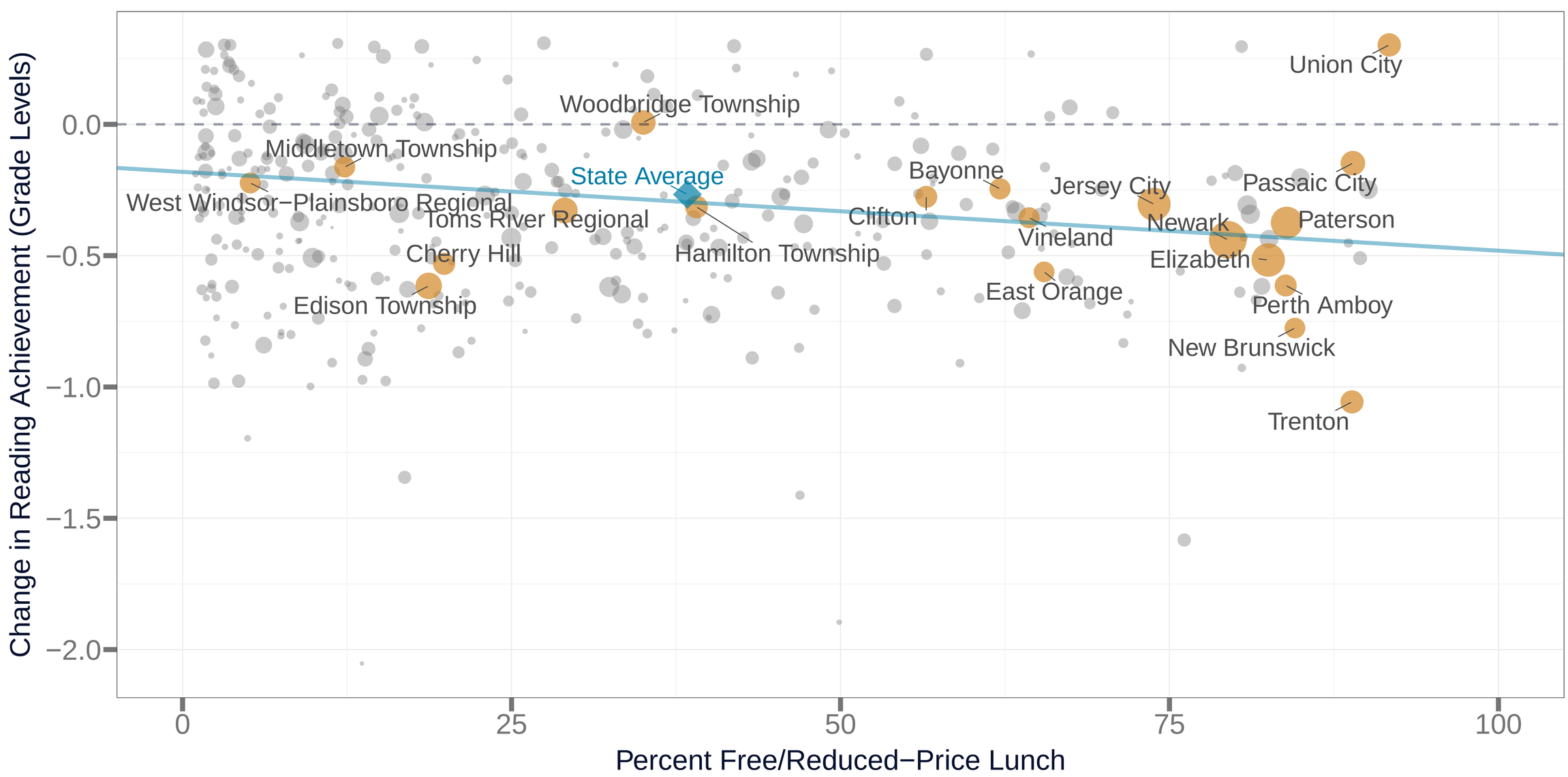

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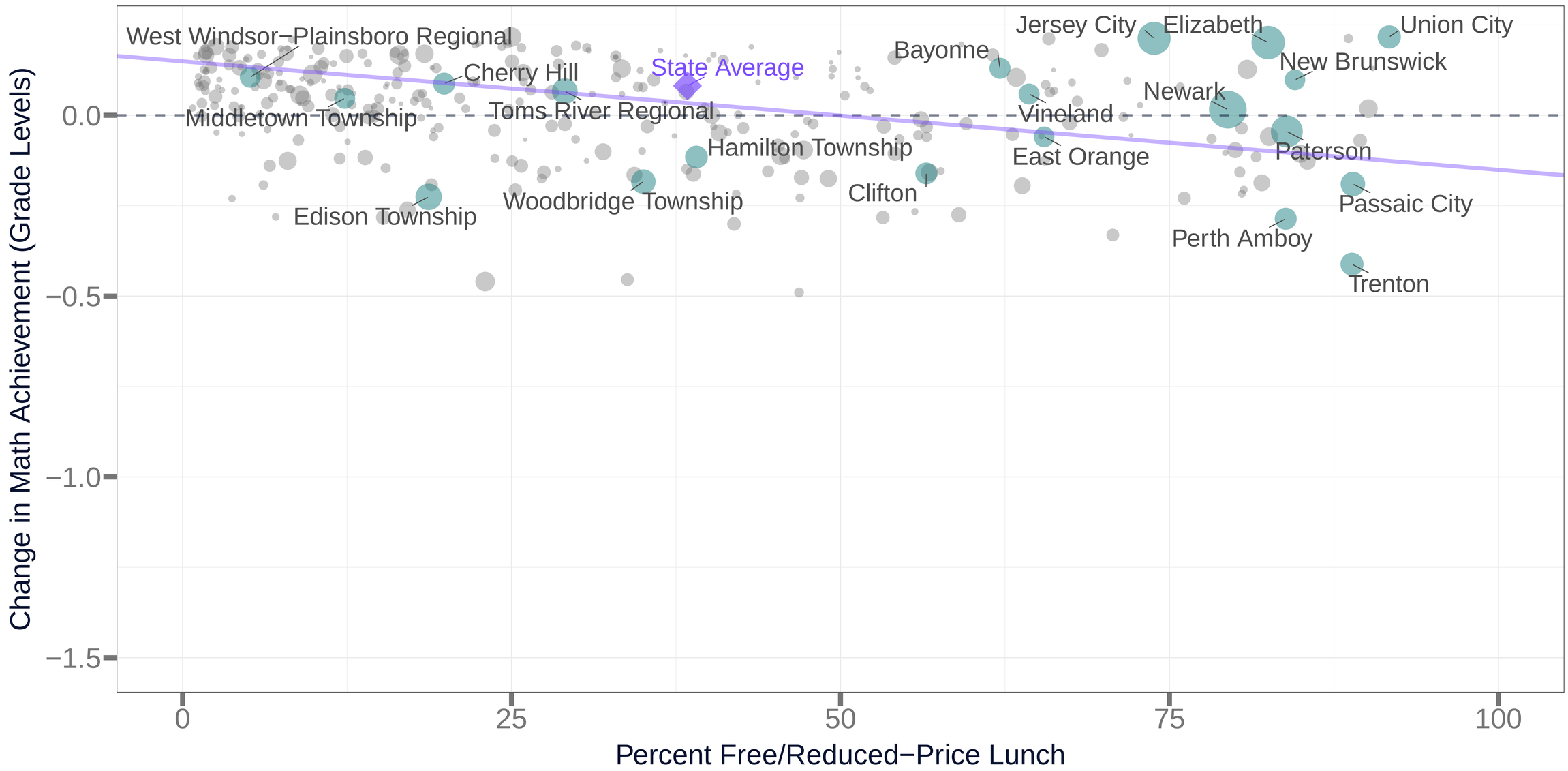

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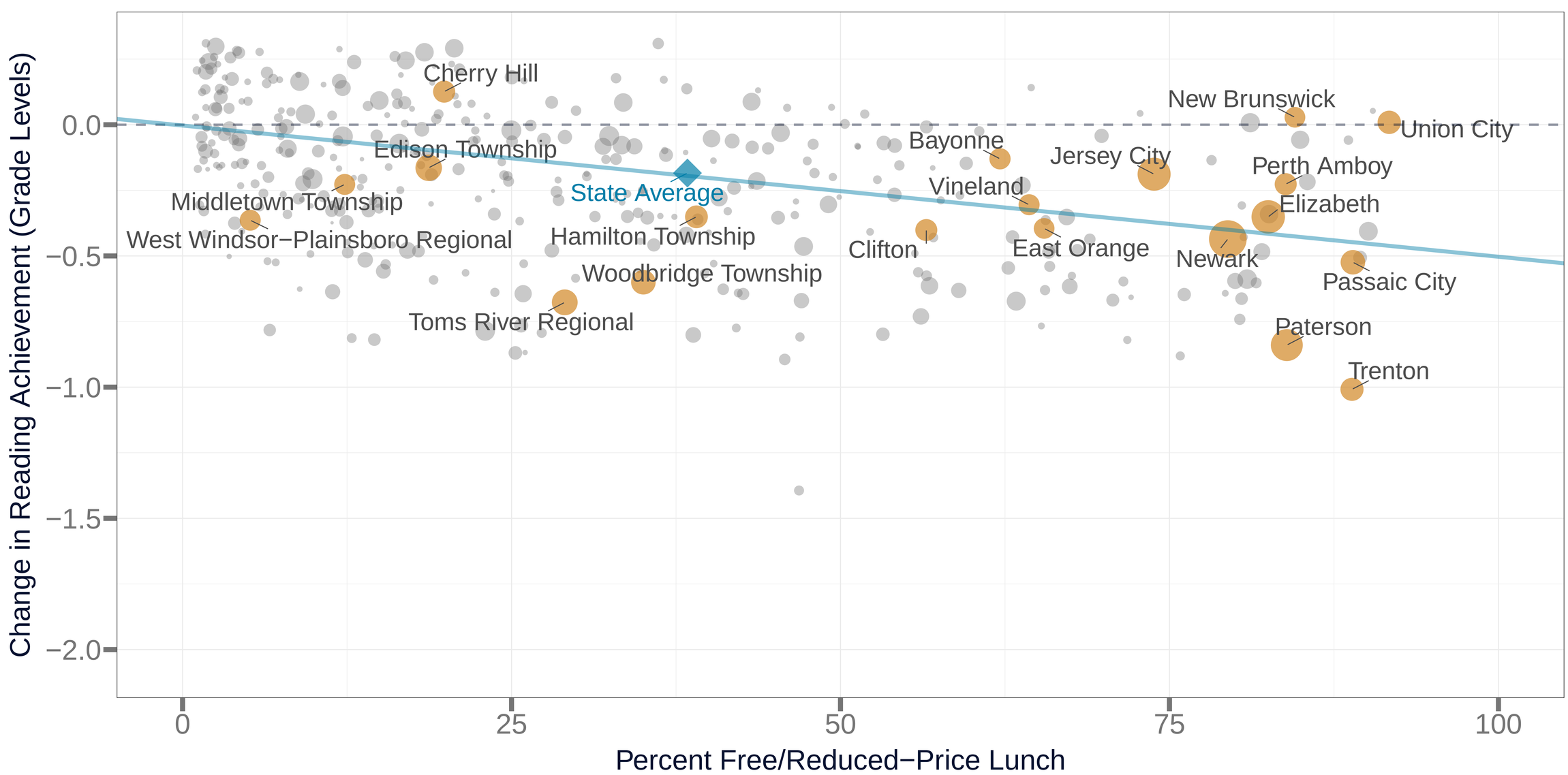

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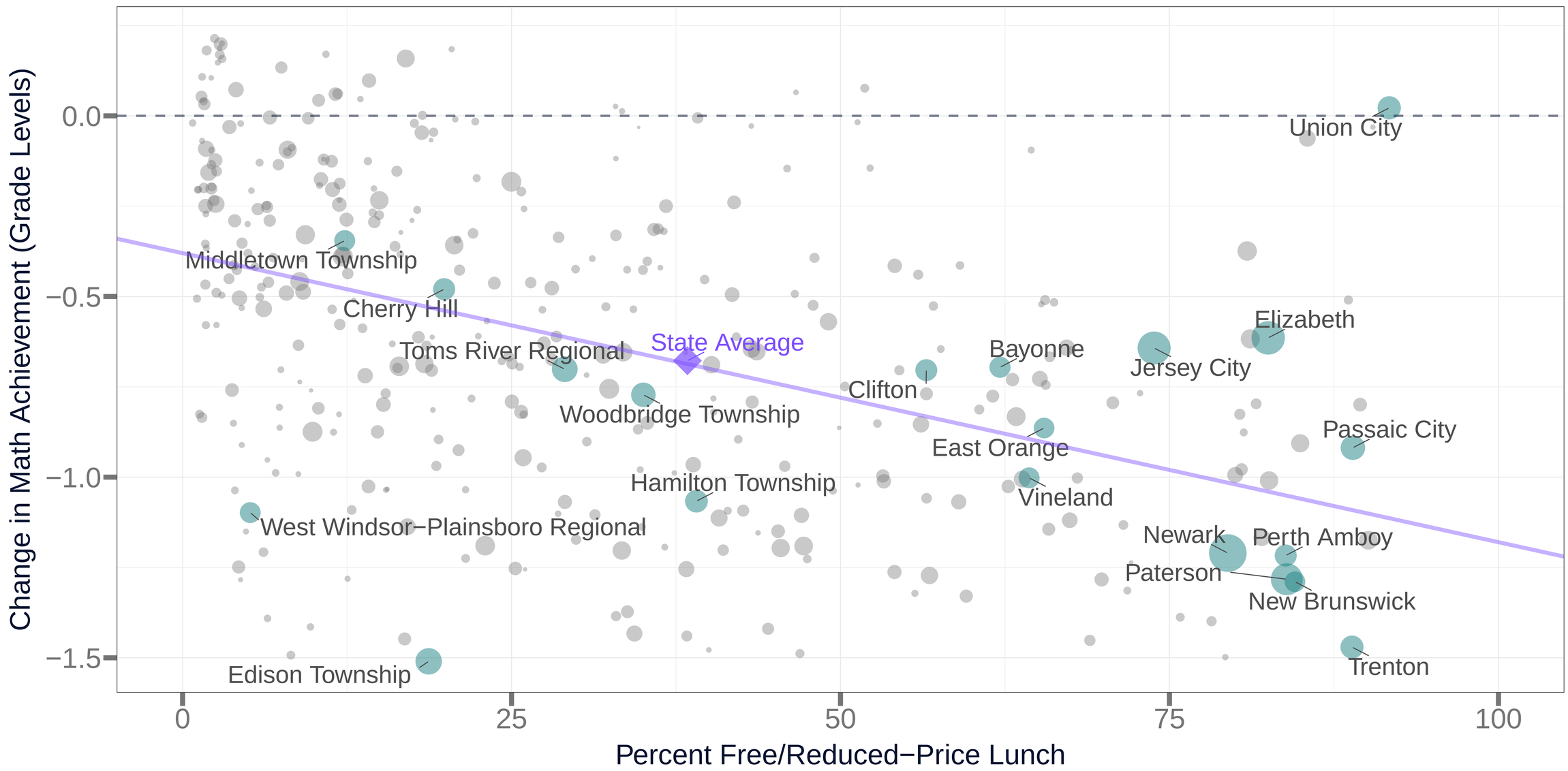

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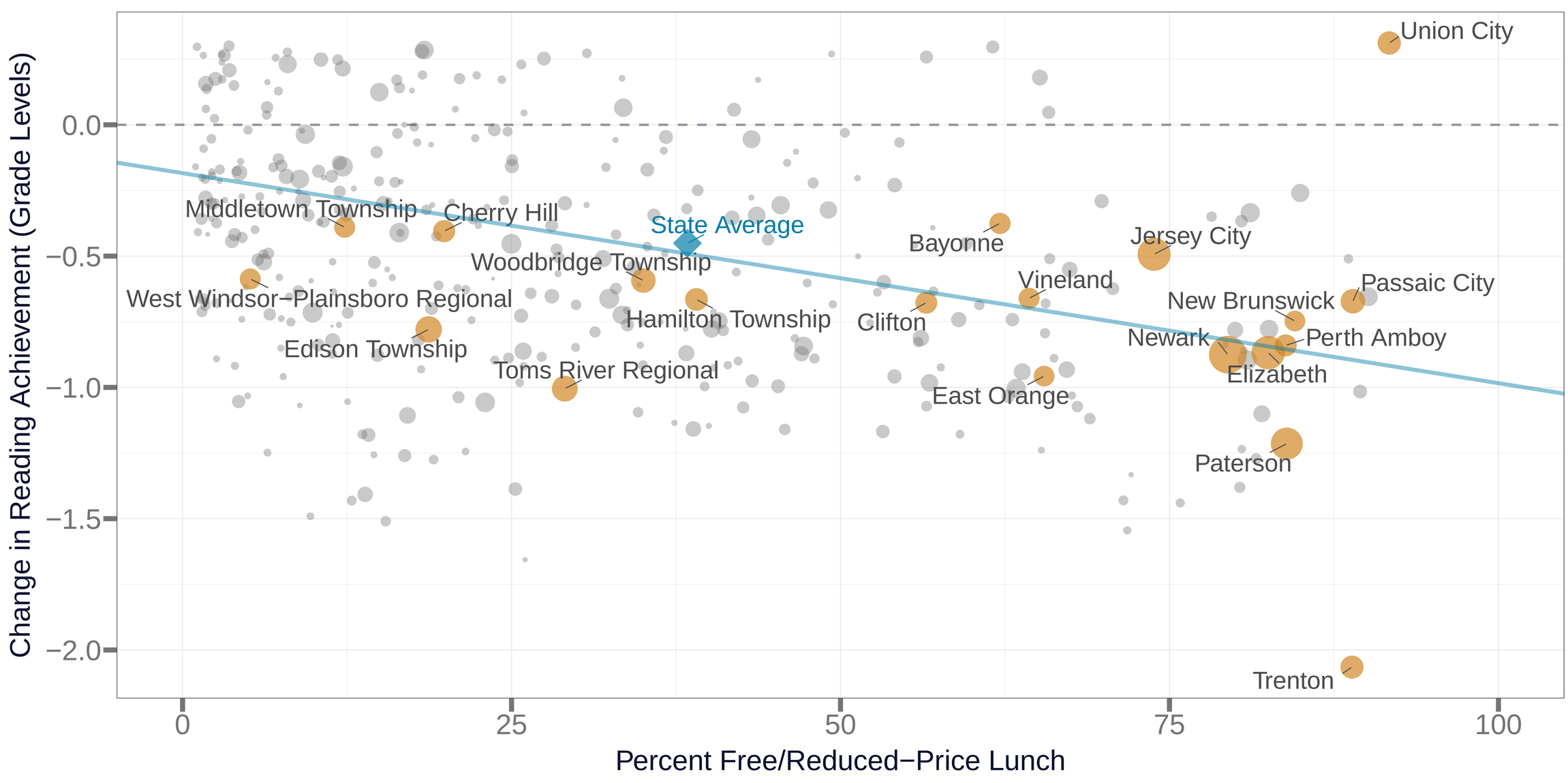

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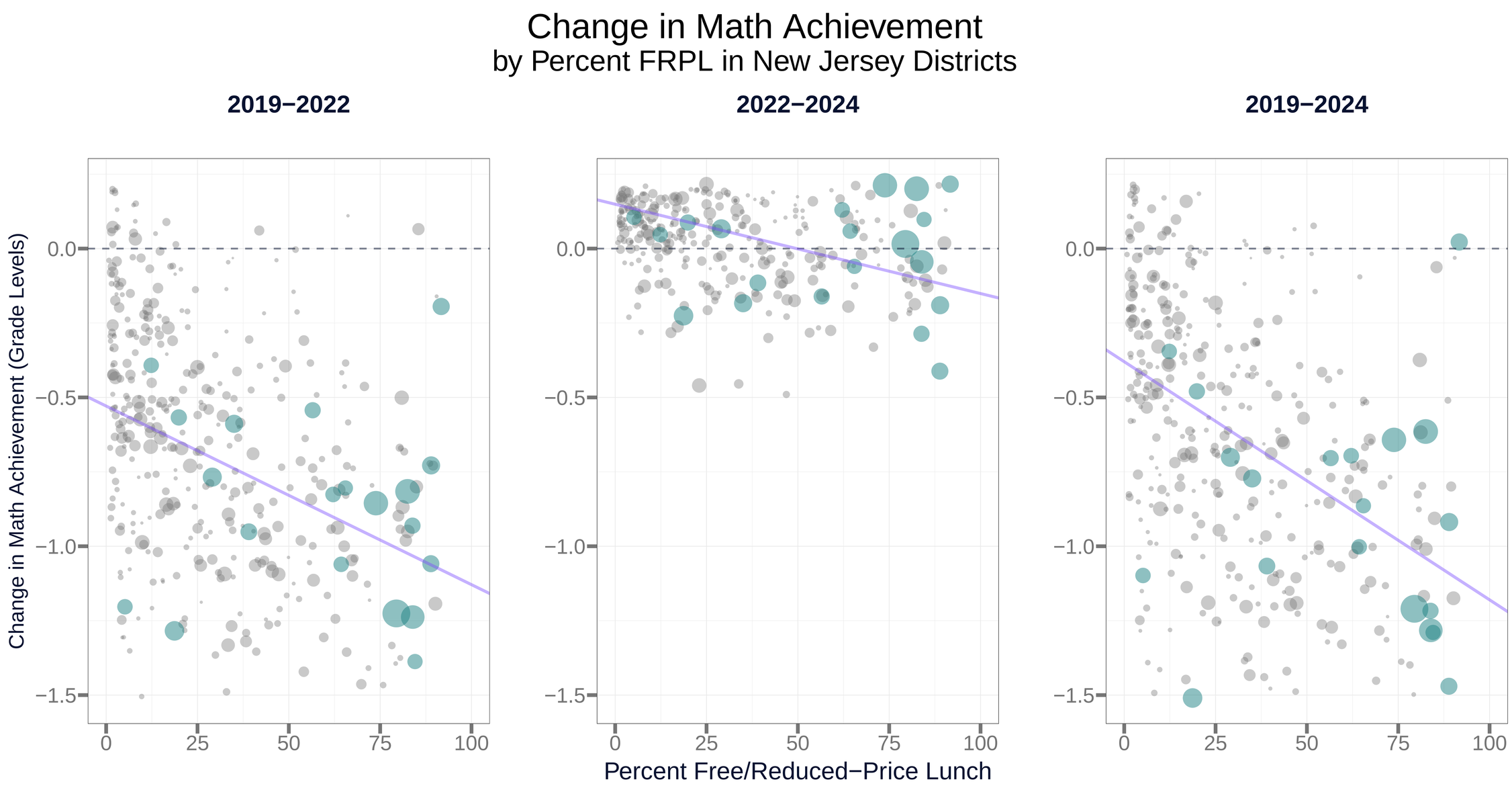

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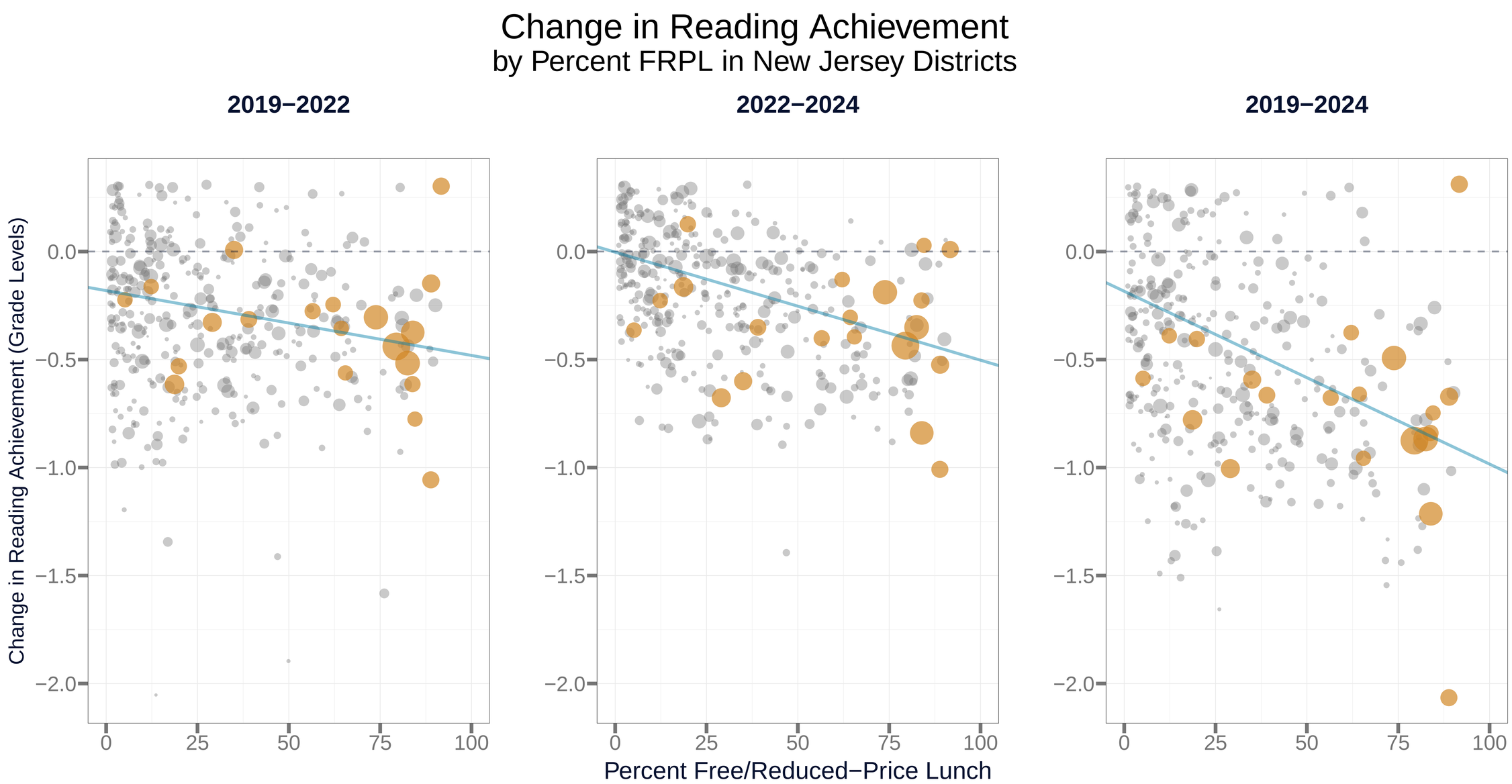

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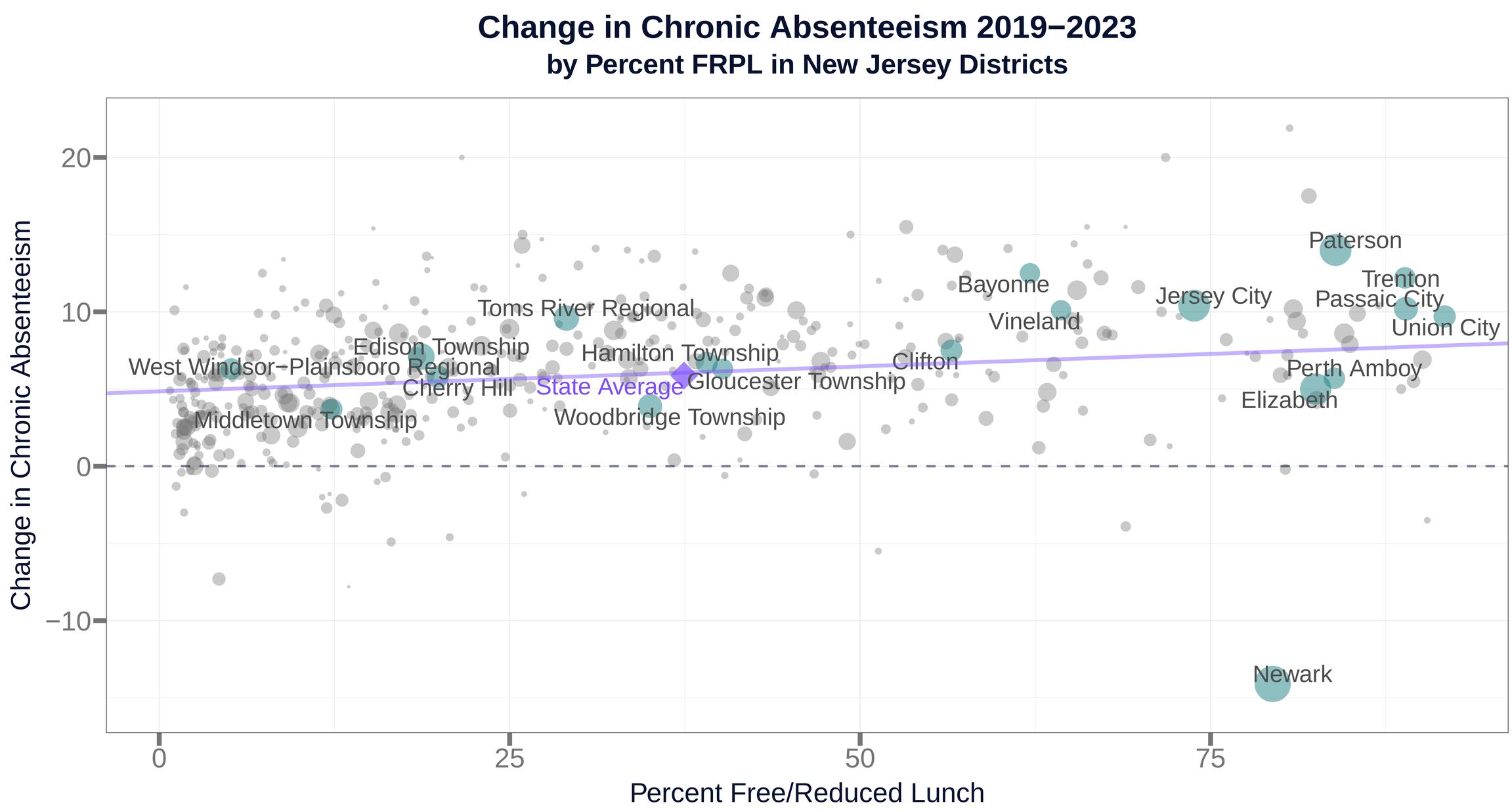

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